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Part B for July 1929

SUBJECT

Exemption from fumigation in respect of plants imported direct by Mr. G.H. Krumbiegel, so long as he holds the post of Director of Horticulture, Mysore

7) D. 494/ dated 13-7-29.
To The Director of Horticulture,
Fds copy of letter No. 3365/ dated 22-6-29 recd from the Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident communicating the sanction of the Govt of India for the ———

BRSmurthy
25/7/29

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Gg. 55-37

Routine Notes.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record.]

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From

The Director of Horticulture

Letter No 1880 dated 27th March 1928

Forwards a note on the importation of fruit trees during the year 1928 & encloses a copy of letter which he has written to the Director General Imperial Department of Agre. in India

Submitted with previous references both relating to E. Section & G.G. Section.

May this be transferred to G.G. Section?

Files 6 & 7

2 Yrs.

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G.G. Section

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3 At the Standing Committee of the Economic Conference held on 3rd February 1927, Mr. M.S. Liengunda, a member of the Conference, brought to notice an instance where a gardener had sustained considerable loss in importing apple plants from abroad; the Deman thereupon asked Mr. Krumbiegel for a note on the subject with a view to take necessary remedial measures. The present note is submitted in accordance with the above instructions from the Deman.

Page 11 of the Proceedings. Y

4 The question of avoiding damage to imported plants was considered in the Garden Section also and it was considered that the damage to plants was partly due to rough handling and bad re-packing of the plants at the port of entry and orders have been issued directing that some officer of the Department may be sent to the port concerned to receive the plants personally. This arrangement would perhaps meet the requirements of the case for the present. In the meanwhile, the reply of the Dir. General of Agri may be awaited

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e.e. 89-26-4-0

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	5. Submd for orders.
	18. 11. 4. 28
	The note is for perusal. Further refce from Mr G. H. Krumbiegel may be awaited, after he hears from the Dir Genl of Agri. Govt of India.
	Sec'y D) 12/4
File obtained from the Secys table on 21. 4. 28.	
12/4 2	Letter No. 1973 dated 11th April 1928 from Mr Krumbiegel stating that the Director General of Agri. is prepared to recommend the grant of exemption from fumigation in the case of imported plants as a special case, and requesting that the Govt. of India may be addressed in the matter.
	7. Refer:- Please draft reply to the Residency. Ind. N. R
	8 Submd with a draft letter
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Letter no 8vl. 1261 dated 5th May ~~1927~~ from Secretary to the Residents in Mysore requesting that arrangements be made with the Govt. of India for exempting plants imported from fumigation at the port of entry.

Letter no 10283-2v-1922 dated 3.11.28 from the Secy. to the Resident stating that the Govt. of India are not in favour of granting the exemption asked for.

12 Mr. Krumbiegel reported that a number of apple plants imported from abroad suffered considerably while taking delivery and requested that they may be exempted from fumigation at the port of entry. He also reported that the Director General, Imperial Dept. of Agri. was against this proposal.

13 The Residency ~~letter~~ / addressed in the matter ~~is applying~~ say that exemption cannot be granted in respect of Sapota canes imported from Mr. Krumbiegel. It is respectfully submitted that exemptions were asked for not in regard to Sapota canes, but with regard to imported fruit plants.

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14 The Govt of India state that it a mistake to suppose that the proposal has the support of the Agri. Advisor Bank, kind attention is invited to Mr Chrystal's letter dated 5th April 1927 to Mr Krumbiegel stating that he is prepared to ~~grant~~ recommend the exemption.

15 Submit for orders if it is necessary to make a further reference to the Residency or if the Dir. of Instr. may be informed that the exemption asked for cannot be granted.

14.9.11.28.

16 The request made this office letter to the Resy of 5th may 1928 seems to have been misunderstood as applying to the porting of sugarcane plan

17 If approved a draft reply to the Resy will be put up that the exemption required is only in certain the case of fruit plants

Secy D)

9.11

19 Please put up draft

12/11/28

18 I am afraid our letter gave occasion for the misunderstanding

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20 Submd with a draft- to the Residency for Consideration.
168. 16.11.28.
(S.D. Secy D) 16.11.28

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22 Approved.
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23 Issue
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5 To The Secretary to the Resident.
Pol 565/ dated 28-11-28.
States that the exemption asked for was in respect of fruit plants and plants of cheap value imported into India and requests him to move the Govt of India and secure the exemption asked for.

6 Letter no. 3345/20 1922 922.6.28 from the Secretary to the Resident communicating the sanction of Govt of India to the exemption asked for by Mr Krumbiegel, subject to certain Conditions.

Secy's note:- 24 Submd for information.
Copy will be sent to Mr Krumbiegel with the required

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that he should comply with the directions in para 2.

Ind. P. R. 25/7

25 Yes -

Ind P. S. B. 8.7

26 Draft. Sanctd.
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Cer
18.7.29

7. Dir of Horti. No D 494 of 13/7/29.
Fwds Copy of letter No 3345/20-1922 of 22/6/
recd from the Secy to the Hon'ble the Minister
with it's enclosure Communicating the sanct
of Govt of Ind exemption referred to in sl 2 ab

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16 JULY 1929
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Telegraphic adress
"Horti., Bangalore."

DEPARTMENT OF HORTICULTURE,
MYSORE STATE.

No. 8462 dec

Lal-Bagh, Bangalore,
March 27, 1928 192

FROM

G. H. KRUMBIEGEL, ESQ., F.R.H.S.,
DIRECTOR OF HORTICULTURE IN MYSORE, LAL-BAGH,
BANGALORE.

To

N. RAMA RAO, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Development Departments, Bangalore.

G. G. 85-27-1

Sir,

With reference to your D.O. letter No.797/EC. dated 15th March 1927 I have the honour to enclose herewith a note on the importation of fruit trees during the year 1926 when certain losses were incurred. The note will explain the shortages that lately occured. In some cases the losses were made good when tirely complaints were made and in other cases it was not possible to afford the redress since the complaints were made, as a ratter of fact, 5 or 6 months after the plants arrived. It is more likely that the plants died through want of attention.

With reference to the general question of Fumigation, I enclose a copy of letter which I have written to the Director-General, Imperial Department of Agriculture in India. I trust that sore concession will result.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Director

A note ON THE IMPORTATION OF FRUIT PLANTS FROM AUSTRALIA IN ~~XXXX~~ 1926.

An order for fruit plants intended for the following gentlemen was sent on 11th May 1926 to Messrs: C.A. Nobelius & Sons, Pty. Ltd., Gembrook Nurseries, Emerald, Victoria:-

(a)	Mr. B. Shankara Rao, Badami, Bangalore	300	Apples
(b)	" J. Subbiah, Ulsoor, Bangalore	600	"
(c)	" A.J.H. White, Bangalore ..	200	"
(d)	" Yadalam Subbish Chetty, Bangalore	200	"
(e)	Dr. F.H. Noronha, Bangalore	400	" etc.
(f)	Mr. D.G.B. Naylor, Bangalore ..	1000	"
(g)	The Superintendent, Fernhill Palace	74	"
(h)	The Superintendent, Bangalore Palace	198	Oranges
(i)	Mr. A.B. Godrej, Bombay ..	46	Apples
(j)	The Superintendent, Government Gardens, Bangalore ..	204	" etc.
	Total	3252	

2. A similar order for 658 fruit plants of kinds was sent on to Messrs: G. Bruning and Sons, St. Kilda Nurseries, St. Kilda, Australia for Mr. A.T. McIsaac of Gangenahalli Estate, Tavarekere.

3. The consignment from Messrs: Nobelius was despatched by them on 19-6-1926; it landed at Colombo on 12-7-1926. It left Colombo on 16-7-1926 and arrived at Madras on 19-7-1926. It was cleared by Messrs: Binny & Co. Ltd., Madras on 13-8-1926 and despatched to Bangalore on 16-8-1926. There has thus been a delay of 25 days from the time of arrival at Madras and despatching for Bangalore.

4. The consignment from Messrs: G. Brunning & Sons, was despatched by them on 21-7-1926 and it landed at Colombo on 9-8-1926. It left Colombo on 13-8-1926 and arrived at Madras on 4-9-1926 and despatched to Bangalore on 6-9-1926. There was a delay of 9 days due to the papers being held up for -- appraisement with the Custom Authorities.

5. The following are the complaints regarding the shortage and death of plants.

	No. ordered	No. short	No. dead	Date of complaint
1. The Superintendent Bangalore Palace	198	22	34	26-8-1926
2. Mr. D.G.B. Naylor	1000	46	-	9-9-1926
3. The Superintendent, Govt. Gardens	204	6	176	30-9-1926
4. Mr. A.T. McIsaac	658	-	393	19-10-1926
5. Mr. Yadalam Subbiah Chetty	200	-	100	29-1-1927 i.e. after about 5 months

6. Mr. McIsaac complained about the condition of the plants, as soon as they arrived and the matter was referred to the suppliers Messrs: G. Brunning & Sons, St. Kilda Nurseries, St. Kilda, Australia who have given a credit for £.12-7-0 on the total cost.

7. Mr. Yadalam Subbiah Chetty made no complaint about his plants till 31st January 1927, after more than 5 months after the arrival of the plants, saying that out of 200 plants got by him, 100 had died.

8. It is not possible to fix the responsibility for the the loss of plants after such a long time. The Firms do not give any guarantee after they deliver the goods to the Shipping Agents. If Mr. Subbiah Chetty had given an immediate complaint

I would have written to the Firm and tried to get them to reduce their bill.

9. Both the consignments were fumigated at Madras though they had been fumigated in Australia at the ports of embarkation. Messrs: Binny & Co. said that no fumigation certificates accompanied the consignment got out from Messrs: C.A. Nobelius & Sons., Pty., Ltd., while the latter writes that they have sent them to Messrs: Mackinson Mackinzey. But in the case of the plants from Messrs: G. Brunning and Sons, it was received I understand from Messrs: Binny & Co., Ltd., Madras, who cleared the consignments for us, that even if the plants had been fumigated in Australia before despatch, the Customs Authorities would not allow entry of the plants into India without fumigation.

Director of Horticulture in Mysore

Letter No.1852 dated March 24, 1928 from the Director of Horticulture in Mysore, to the Director-General, Imperial Department of Agriculture in India.

" On the occasion of the visit to the Lalbagh of the Royal Agricultural Commission in November 1926 I took the opportunity of showing you our Fumigatorium and to explain to you the difficulty we experienced in having imported plants lost by being fumigated at Bombay or Madras. As you are aware these cases of plants are carefully and closely packed with battens between each row of plants and the ball of earth securely fastened in. Almost invariably the cases are too large to fit in the fumigating boxes provided at Bombay and Madras. The plants have therefore to be unpacked and put singly or in batches through the fumigating box and no care is taken in repacking so that when the cases arrive here, the contents are a hopeless mixture of packing material, soil, lables, and parts of plants.

Another disadvantage is that the plants perspire on the journey and are comparatively moist when taken out for fumigation. Now any part of a plant which has the slightest moisture on it when subjected to Hydrocyanaic Acid Gas is at once burned up. The plants arrive here in most cases in a dried up condition but it is not possible to say how far each of the contributory causes above mentioned i.e. (a) fumigating while the plants are moist and (b) want of proper repacking, can be blamed. Any how under present conditions it is futile to import any plants and we have confined ourselves solely to the importation from Australia of Fruit trees. These being fully at rest, except perhaps some citrus varieties the harm is not so great. Nevertheless although we get fumigating certificates from the suppliers, Madras still insists at times on un-packing and refumigating so

that even in these cases we have had heavy losses, both in plants killed and also considerable shortages.

I enclose a precis of correspondence carried on in order to get exemption from fumigating for the reason that we do fumigate all plants here on arrival but I have not met with success so far. As you are were kind enough to promise to lay the matter before Government I am now addressing you in this matter. In this connection I will give you a few details about our Fumigation work here.

In 1908 when I took charge of this Department, I paid considerable attention to the introduction of new plants, especially of economic value, and in order to (1) to protect ourselves against diseases and (2) also prevent any being sent out to the Planters who indented largely on these gardens for plants of all kinds, I found it imperative to fumigate every plant that came in and evey plant that was sent out from these gardens. I also gave free fumigation and the necessary certificate to local nursery-men who cared to avail themselves of our Fumigatorium. I constructed an efficient building and worked out the quantities of gas for the diffrent plants. This was in full working order for some years when the Pest Act was introduced. Mr. Bainbridge Fletcher came here and took photographs of our building and notes on the quantities of gas etc. which he will, I am sure, confirm. Now when we take such precaution, after, in addition, asking suppliers to have consignments fumigated before despatching I consider that the Government of India should have no grounds for refusing to exempt our consignments from fumigation at the Port of entry. There is first of all hardly any likelihood of any insect or fungus being present because the consignments are already fumigated at at despatch and there is to my mind no possibility of any escape on the way from Bombay or Madras to Bangalore if the cases are left untouched till they reach Bangalore, even if there were any stray insect or fungus present on one or two

plants. The question of making reports to Government in case of such damages and losses would as you quite realise result in voluminous and fruitless correspondence and even if any compensation could be got it would not replace the lost and dead plants. A year would at least be lost and when reimported the following season the same difficulties might arise. The importation of Fruit trees and economic plants is of such vast importance that I am sure you will give us your valuable support in obtaining this exemption, givining, as I do every assurance that every plant is fumigated on arrival at Bangalore.

Thanking you in anticipation, "

Sd. G.H. Krumbiegel

"Copy"

Director of Horticulture in Mysore

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Telegraphic Address "Horti., Bangalore"

DEPARTMENT OF HORTICULTURE,
MYSORE STATE.

In reply please quote in full the Nos. and indicative symbol given below.

No. 193
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Lal-Bagh, Bangalore,
April 11, 1928

GEN. SECRETARIAT
13 APR. 1928
DEVELOPMENT BRANCH

FROM

G. H. KRUMBIEGEL., ESQ., F.R.H.S.,
Director of Horticulture in Mysore, Lal-Bagh, Bangalore.

Refer
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with the Records

N. RAMA RAO, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Development Department,
Bangalore.

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Sir,

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In continuation of my letter No.1880 dated 5462 27/28th ultimo intimating that I have addressed the Director-General of the Imperial Department of Agriculture in India with reference to the question of exemption of fumigation of our imports of which letter I had attached a copy, I have the honour of now sending you a copy of his reply. It will be seen from this that Dr. Clouston is quite prepared to recommend to the Government of India the grant

of exemption, but he holds that the exemption should be a personal one to me as Director of Horticulture and that he requires to have the proposal sent formally to him through our Government. I would recommend that his proposal to make the exemption a personal one may be accepted and if Government agrees. I request you to address Dr. Clouston on the lines of my letter above quoted.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Director

VSR

D.O. letter No.1702 dated 5th April 1928 from Dr. D. Clouston, Director-General to the Imperial Department of Agriculture in India, to Mr. G.H. Krumbiegel, Director of Horticulture in Mysore.

" My dear Krumbiegel,

I have considered your D.O. letter No.1852 of 24th March 1928, regarding exemption from fumigation of your plant imports. and have also consulted Mr. Fletcher. As a general rule we are against (1) acceptance of certificates from abroad and (2) general exemptions from fumigation of plant imports, as the former have proved to be unsafe in practice and the latter at once lead to further requests for exemptions from other departments and -- individuals.

In the present case, however, we know that you are keenly interested in this question of fumigation as a means of protecting India against new pests and diseases of plants and that you have an efficient fumigatorium at the Lalbagh in Bangalore. So long, therefore, as you will make yourself personally responsible for the effective fumigation immediately on receipt of all your plant imports, I think that your request should be granted. I would ~~xxx~~ make it quite plain, however, that such exemption from fumigation at the Port of Entry should be made, if at all, personally to you, whilst you hold the office of Director of Horticulture, Mysore.

I am prepared to recommend to the Government of India the grant to you of special personal exemption on the above lines, but in order to enable me to approach them officially, you should come up with the proposal formally through your Government.

Yours sincerely,

Sd. D. CLOUSTON

"C o p y"

Director of Horticulture in Mysore

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Serial No. 3

No. Pol. 1261

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

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Date of issue 5/5/28

Signed by Mr. N. Rama Rao

G.M. 51-21-6

To The Secretary to the Resident in Mysore

Sir,

I am directed to invite your attention to Major C.T.C. Plowden's letter no. 4371/20-1922 dated 19th May 1922, in the matter of exempting Consignments of imported plants from fumigation at the port of entry, wherein it was stated that an exemption has been granted in favour of the Govt. Sugarcane

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Export at Coimbatore in
respect of canes for planting,
to be grown under his personal
Supervision. I am to request that
a similar exemption may be obtained
in favour of Mr. G.H. Krumbiegel, the
Director of Horticulture in Mysore,
having regard to the fact that
there is an efficient fumigatorium
at the Lalbagh in Bangalore.

I may be permitted to add
that Mr. D. Clouston, Director
of Agri. in the Imperial Dept. of
Agri. is understood to be favourable to his proposal.

I am therefore to request you
to move the Hon'ble the Resident in
Mysore to use his good offices with
the Govt. of India and Secretary of
the Govt. of H.H. the exemption asked for.

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to Secy. 29/4/28

K.S. 21.4.28.

All communications should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

No. 10283. ENC.
20-1922

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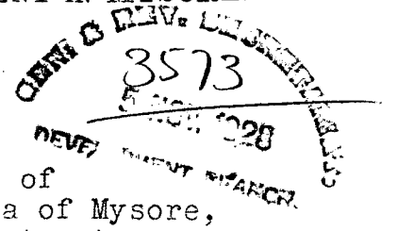
FROM

A. C. Lothian, Esquire, I.C.S.,

SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.



To

The Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Development Departments.

Dated Bangalore, 3rd November 1928

Subject.

Request of the Mysore Government for the grant of exemption to their Director of Horticulture from the prohibition against the import of sugarcane.

Pol.599

SIR,

G.G. 85-27-4

With reference to your letter No. Pol.1261/G.G., 85-27-3, dated the 5th May, 1928, I am directed to state that in view of the paramount importance of protecting India from the importation of insect pests and diseases from abroad, the Government of India regret that they are unable to accept the proposal that Mr. Krumbiegal. Director of Horticulture in Mysore, should be exempted from the ordinary prohibitions in respect of sugarcane imported by him.

2. The Government of India state that the existing exemption to which you refer, in favour of the Government Sugarcane Expert, Coimbatore, has been allowed only because this officer is a specialist in sugarcane crop and that his case is not to be regarded as a precedent. They add that the Mysore Government are mistaken in supposing that the proposal, which they have made, has the support of the Agricultural Adviser to the Government of India.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

A C Lothian

SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

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SUBJECT.....

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Serial No. 5

No. Pol. 575 Genl. /

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

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To

The Secretary to the
Resident in Mysr

Date of issue 28-11-1928.

Signed by Jnr. N. Rama Rao

Sir,

With reference to your letter no. 10283/20a dated (the 3rd Nov: 1928, ~~stating~~ intimating that the Govt. of India are unable to accept the proposal ~~that~~ to exempt Mr G. H. Krumbiegel ~~should be exempted~~ from the ordinary prohibitions in respect of sugarcane imported by him, I am directed to state that the exemption asked for was not in respect of sugarcane, but

P.T.O.

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~~Pl. [illegible]~~ in respect of fruit plants imported into India from abroad. This Concession is asked for on the analogy of that granted to the Sugarcane Expert of Coimbatore. (and plants of economic value)

I am accordingly to request you to be so good as to ~~place this matter before~~ move the Govt. of India again with the ~~recommendation~~ support of the Hon'ble the Resident ~~in Mysore~~ and to secure for the Govt. of H. H. the exemption asked for in respect of imported ~~fruit~~ fruit & economic plants.

~~Before Concession, I am to refer you to your information dated~~ A observation regarding ~~to the remark~~ in your letter that the Mysore Govt are mistaken in supposing that the proposal has the support of the Agri. Adviser to the Govt. of India, I am to forward herewith ~~for your information~~ a copy of letter no. 1702 dated 5th April 1928 from the Director, Dir. of Pl. to the Imperial Dept. of Agri. to Mr. G. H. Krumbiegel, stating that he is prepared to recommend a special personal exemption.

CSO 27/11

I have etc.

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D. Secy.

16.11.28

16.11.28.

All communications should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

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20/1922.

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From

Major G. Loch,
SECRETARY to the RESIDENT in MYSORE.

Gen. & Rev. Sectt. Br. Gen. 25. JUN. 1929 G. D. Section.

Pol. No. 1609

To

The Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Development Departments.

Dated Bangalore, 22nd June, 1929

Subject.

Exemption from fumigation in respect of plants imported direct by Mr. G. H. Krumbiegel, so long as he holds the post of Director of Horticulture, Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter No.565/G.G.85-27-5, dated the 28th November, 1928, I am directed to enclose a copy of a Notification by the Government of India in the Department of Education Health and Lands, No.625-Agri., dated the 23rd April, 1929 conveying sanction to exemption from fumigation of plants imported direct by Mr. G. H. Krumbiegel, so long as he holds the post of Director of Horticulture, Mysore.

2. I am to request that Mr. Krumbiegal may be asked:-

(a) to inform the Collector of Customs in advance about each consignment of plants expected by him, and

(b) to report to the Collector in due course the fact of his having fumigated them.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Major.
for SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

Subd for info
Copy to be sent to Mr Krumbiegel with the request that he shd comply with the direction in para 2

ASB

2nd Member

25/6/29

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No. 625-Agri.
Government of India.
Department of Education, Health & Lands,
Simla, the 23rd April, 1929.

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 3 of the Destructive Insects and Pests Act, 1914 (II of 1914) the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following further amendment shall be made in the order published with the notification of the Government of India in the late Department of Revenue and Agriculture No.580-240 dated the 22nd June 1922 namely :-

After the proviso to paragraph 3 of the said order the following further proviso shall be inserted, namely :-

"Provided also that in the case of plants imported direct by Mr. G. H. Krumbiegel, so long as he holds the post of Director of Horticulture, Mysore, such fumigation shall be dispensed with on condition that Mr. Krumbiegel makes himself personally responsible for the effective fumigation of all such plants immediately upon receipt in the Bangalore fumigatorium."

Sd/- A. B. Reid,
JOINT SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT
OF INDIA.

"C O P Y"

Major.
Registrar, Resident's Office.

ASB

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

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Notification.

Agriculture

Simla, the 22nd June 1922.

No. 580-240 - In exercise of the powers conferred by sub Section (1) of Section 3 of the Destructive Insects and Pests Act, 1914 (II of 1914) and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture No. 13-C., dated the 7th November 1917, the Governor General in Council is pleased to issue the following order for the purpose of prohibiting, regulating and restricting the import into British India of the articles hereinafter specified.

1. In this order -

(i) " Official Certificate"means a certificate granted by the proper officer or authority in the country of origin; and the officers and authorities named in the third column of the schedule appended hereto are the proper officers and authorities to grant in the countries named in the second column the certificates required by the provisions referred to in the first column thereof;

(ii) " plant " means a living plant or part thereof but does not include seeds; and

(iii) " prescribed port " means any of the following ports, namely, Bombay, Calcutta, Dhanushkodi, Karachi, Madras, Negapatam, Rangoon and Tuticorin;

(iv) All provisions referring to plants or seeds shall apply also to all packing material used in packing or wrapping such plants or seeds.

2. No plant shall be imported into British India by means of the letter or sample post; provided that sugarcane for planting intended to be grown under the personal supervision of the Government Sugarcane Expert, Coimbatore, may be imported by him by such post.

3. No plants other than fruits and vegetables intended for consumption, potatoes and sugarcane shall be imported into British India by sea except after fumigation with hydrocyanic acid gas and

and at a prescribed port.

Provided that plants which are infested with living parasitized insects and are intended for the introduction of such parasites may be imported without such fumigation if they are accompanied by a special certificate from the Imperial Entomologist to the Government of India that such plants are imprted for the purpose of introducing such parasites.

4. Potatoes shall not be imported into British India by sea, unless they are accompanied by

(a) a certificate from the consignor stating fully in what country and in what district of such country the potatoes were grown and guaranteeing that warty disease was not known to exist on the farms where the potatoes were grown; and

(b) an official certificate that no case of warty disease of potatoes has been known during the twelve months preceding the date of the certificate within five miles of the place where the potatoes were grown.

5. Rubber plants shall not be imported into British India by sea unless they are accompanied by an official certificate that the estate from which the plants have originated or the individual plants are free from Fomes semitostus, Sphaerostilbe repens and Fusicladium macrosporum.

6. (1) The importation of sugarcane into British India by sea from the Fiji Islands, New Guinea, Australia or the Philippine Islands is prohibited absolutely.

(2) The importation of sugarcane into British India by sea from any other country is prohibited, unless it is accompanied by an official certificate that it has been examined and found free from cane borers, scale insects, aleurodes, root disease (any form), pine apple disease (the thielaviopsis ethaceticus), sereh and cane gummosis that it was obtained from a crop which was free from Mosaic disease and that the Fiji disease of sugarcane does not occur in the country of export;

export:

Provided that in the case of canes for planting imported by the Government Sugarcane Expert, Coimbatore, or by Mr. G. Clarke, so long as he holds the appointment of Agriculturist Chemist, United Provinces and intended to be grown under the personal supervision of the importing officer in each case, such certificate shall be required only in respect of the freedom of the country of export from the ~~xiiik~~ Fiji disease of sugarcane.

7. Coffee and Hevea rubber plants shall not be imported into British India by sea from America (including the West Indies) except by the Madras Department of Agriculture.

8. Seeds of coffee, flax, bersim and cotton shall not be imported by land or by sea by letter or sample post.

9. Coffee and Hevea rubber seeds shall not be imported into British India by sea from America (including the West Indies) except by the Madras Department of Agriculture.

10. Flax seeds and bersin (Egyptian clover) seeds shall not be imported into British India by sea, unless the consignee produces before the Collector of Customs a license from a Department of Agriculture in India in that behalf.

11. Cotton seeds shall not be imported by sea after fumigation with carbon bisulphide and at a prescribed port.

12. Nothing in these rules shall be deemed to apply to any articles brought by sea from one port in British India to another.

The Schedule.

(Paragraph 1 (i))

1.	2.	3.
Paragraph.	Country of origin.	Authority.
4 (ii)	Great Britain and Ireland.	The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, England,
	,,	The Board of Agriculture for Scotland
	,,	The Department of Agriculture and Technica Instruction for Ireland,
	S w e d e n	The Ministry of Agriculture,
	Norway	The Norwegian Board of Agriculture,
	Denmark	The Ministry of Agriculture,
	France	The Ministry of Agriculture,
	Japan (including Formosa	The Department of Agriculture and Commerce
	Italy	The Ministry of Agriculture,
	Kenya Colony	The Department of Agriculture,
	Australia	The Departments of Agriculture, Victoria, South Australia, New South Wales, Queensland, Tasmania and Western Australia.
	New Zealand	Department of Agriculture, Industries and Commerce, Wellington.
5.	Ceylon	The Department of Agriculture,
	Malay Peninsula	The Department of Agriculture, Federated Malay States.
	Dutch Indies	The Department of Agriculture, Industry and Commerce.
	Belgian Congo	The Department of Agriculture,
	Kenya Colony	The Department of Agriculture.
	Uganda Protectorate	The Department of Agriculture.
	Nyassaland	The Department of Agriculture,
	South Africa	The Union of South Africa Department of Agriculture,
6.	Dutch Indies	The Department of Agriculture, Industry and Commerce.
	Mauritius	The Department of Agriculture.
	Phillipine Islands	The Bureau of Agriculture,
	Japan (including Formosa)	The Department of Agriculture and Commerc
	South Africa	The Union of South Africa Department of Agriculture.

Egypt.	The Ministry of Agriculture,
West Indies	The Imperial Department of Agriculture, Barbodos,
British Guiana	The Department of Science and Agriculture,
Trinidad	The Department of Agriculture,
Jamaica	The Department of Agriculture,
United States	The Department of Agriculture,
Ceylon	The Department of Agriculture,
Malay Peninsula	The Department of Agriculture, Federated Malay States,
Kenya Colony	The Department of Agriculture,
Queensland	The Department of Agriculture and Stock.

Sd/- J. Hullah,

Secretary to Government of India.

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Signed by M.C.S. [illegible]

Sir,

With reference to your letter no. 19739 dated 8 April 1929 regarding Govt. of India may be advised in the matter enquiry whether the plants imported into Kalabagh farm about may be exempted from fumigation at the port of entry, I am directed to forward herewith copy of letter no. 3845/2-D-1922 dated 22nd June 1929 received from Agriculture Secretary Govt

List of enclosures.....

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Resident in Mysore, (with
d: enclosure) Communicating
the sanction of the Govt. of
India for the exemption from
duties of plants imported directly
by you, and to request that
the instructions contained in para 2
of the letter from the Residency may
be invariably complied with

Yours

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